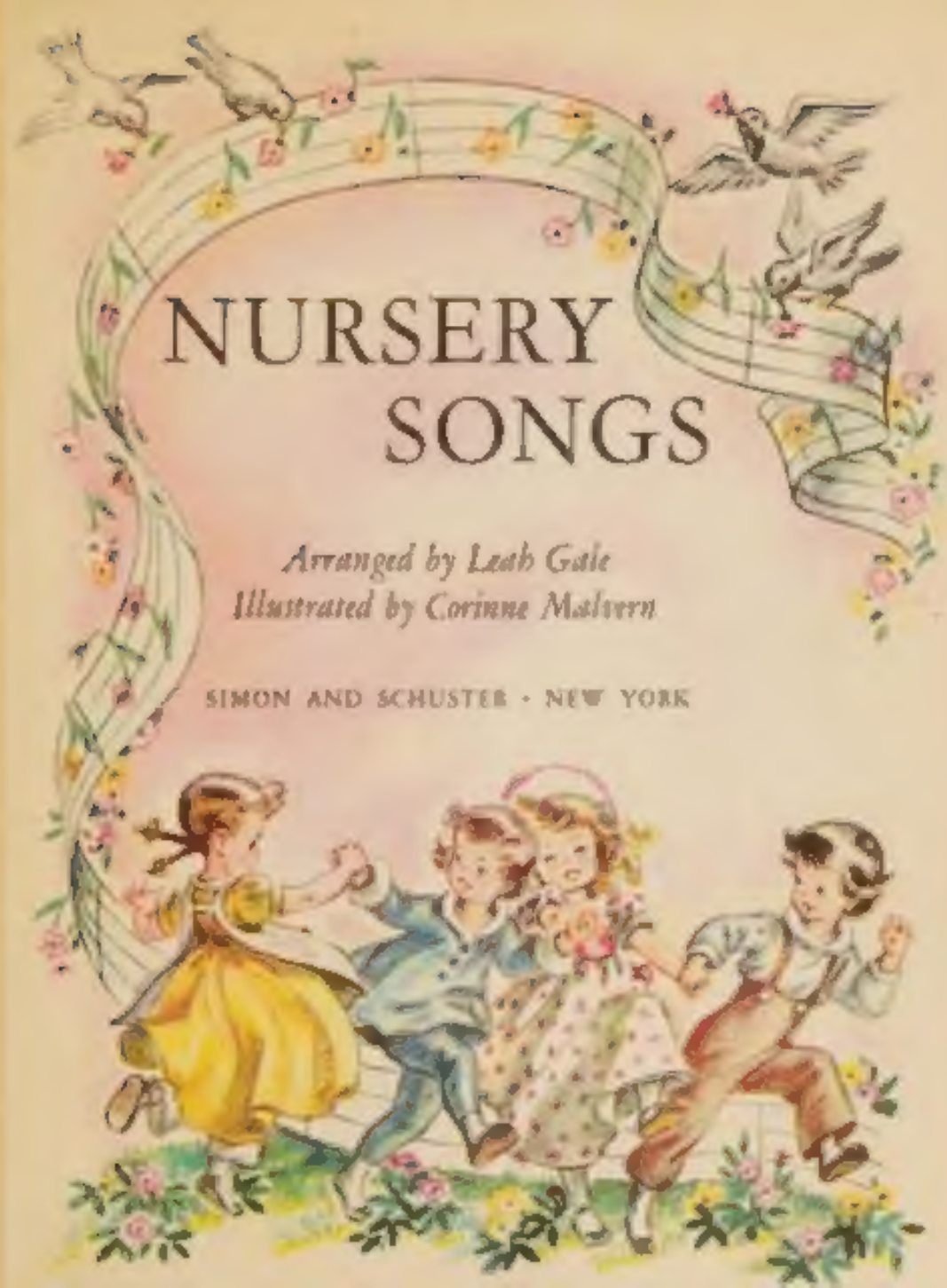


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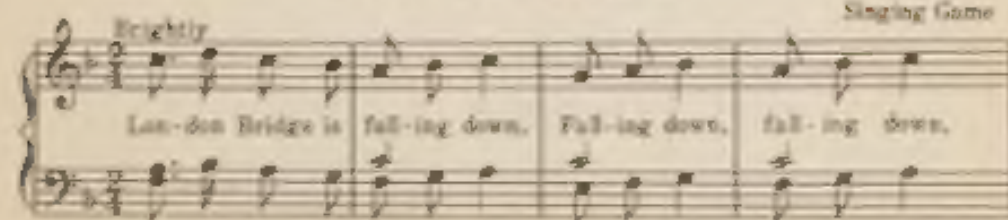
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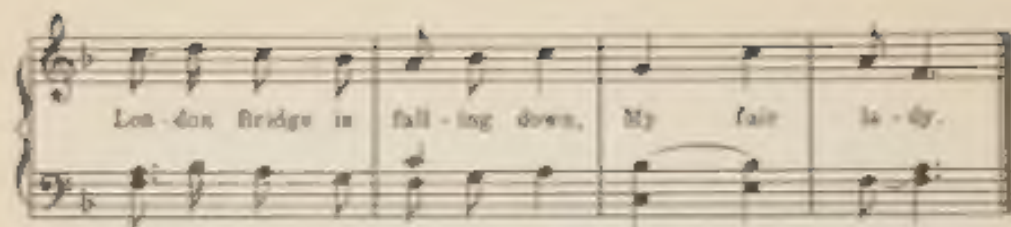
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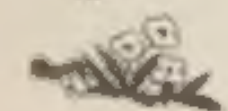
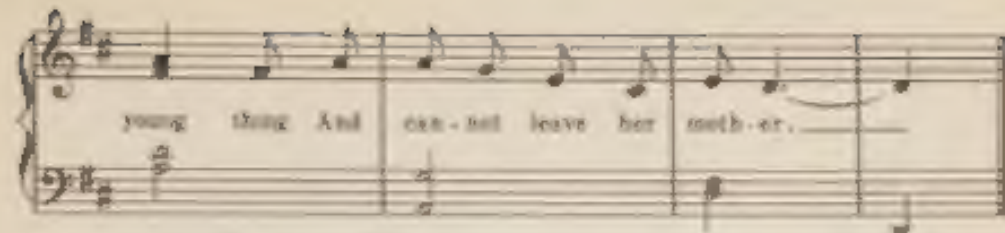
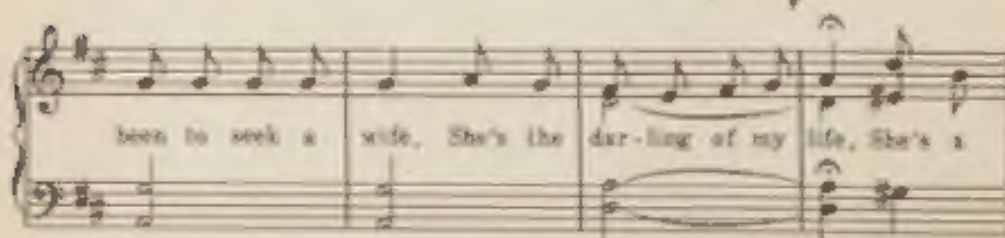
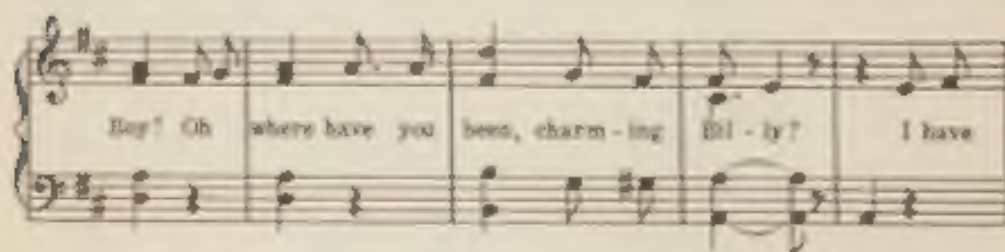
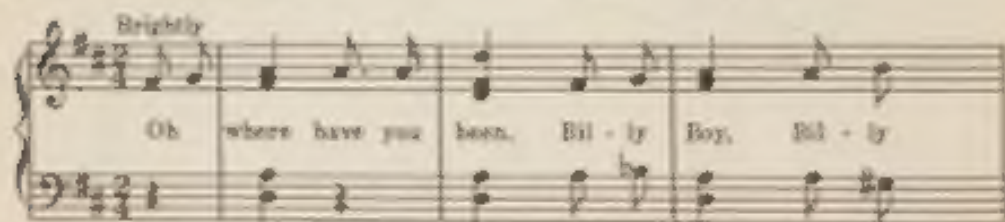
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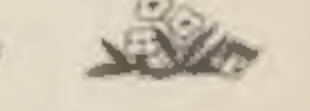
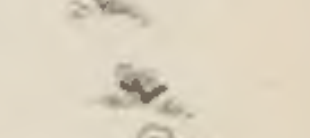
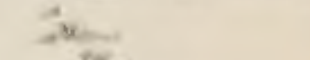
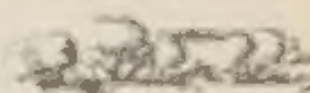


London Bridge is half built up, etc.
 London Bridge is all built up, etc.
 Here's a prisoner I have got, etc.
 Take the keys and lock her up, etc.

BILLY BOY



Can she bake a cherry pie,
 Billy Boy, Billy Boy?
 Can she bake a cherry pie,
 Charming Billy?

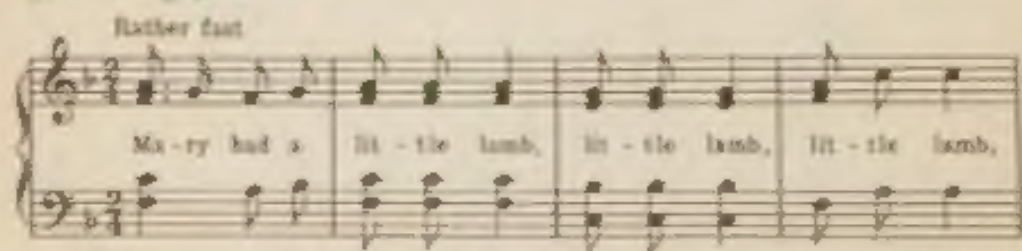


She can bake a cherry pie
 In the twinkling of an eye,
 But she's a young thing
 And cannot leave her mother





MARY HAD A LITTLE

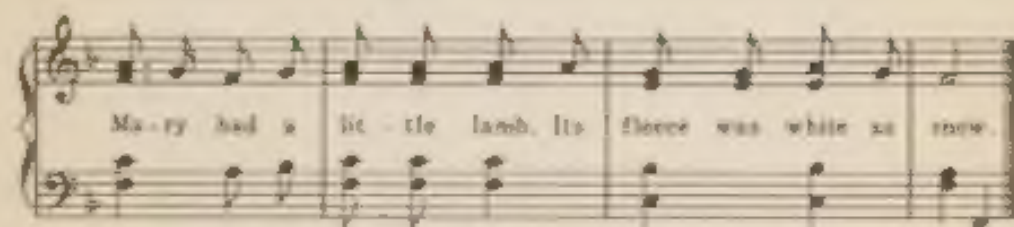


Everywhere that Mary went,
Mary went, Mary went,

Everywhere that Mary went
The lamb was sure to go.



LAMB

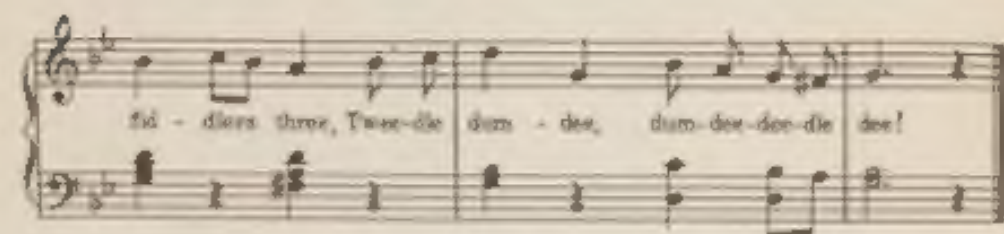
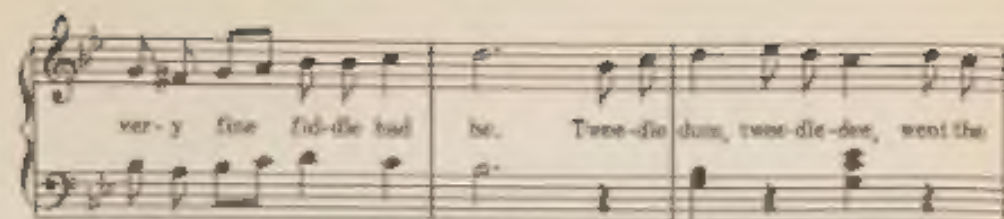
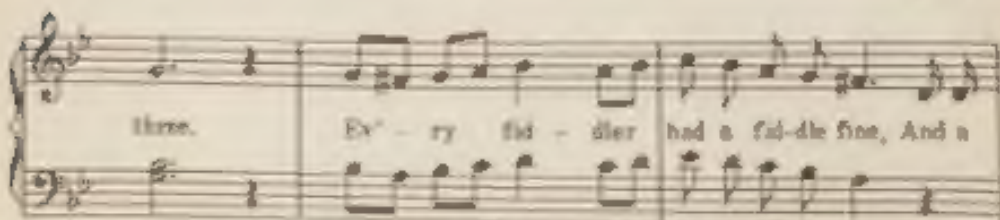
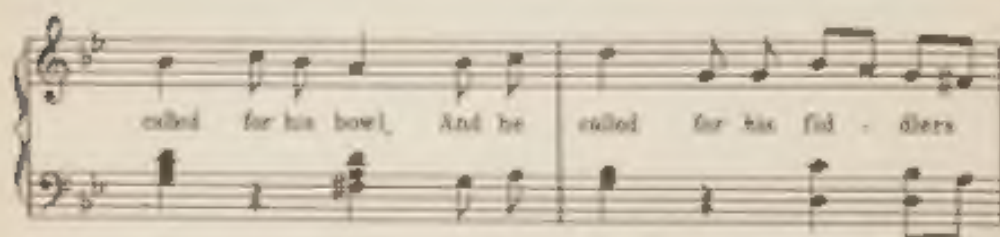
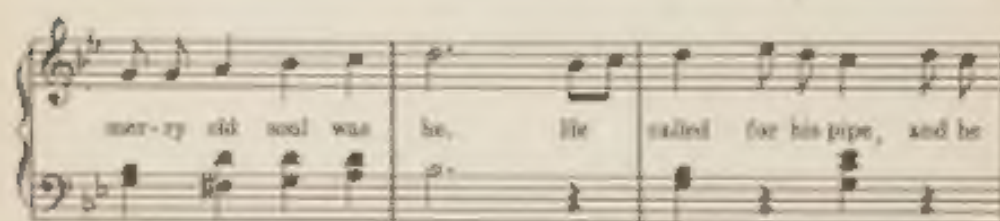
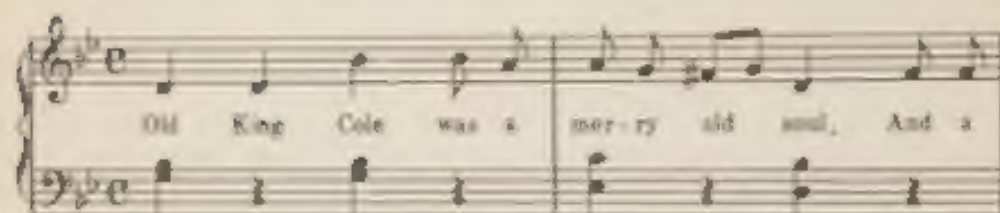


He followed her to school one day;
That was against the rule,

It made the children laugh and play
To see a lamb at school.



OLD KING COLE

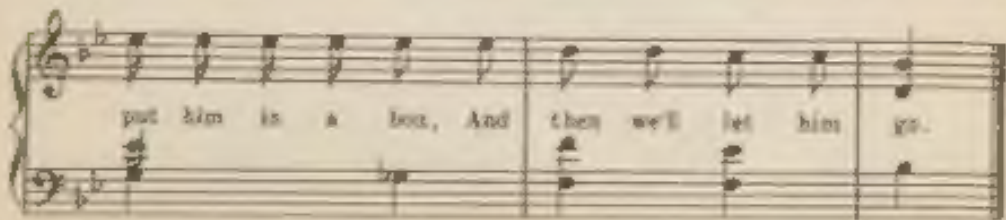
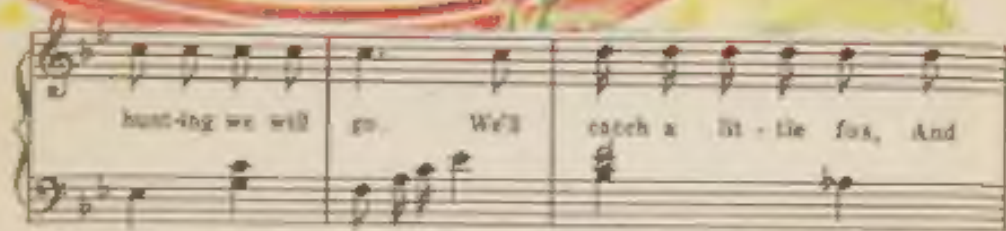
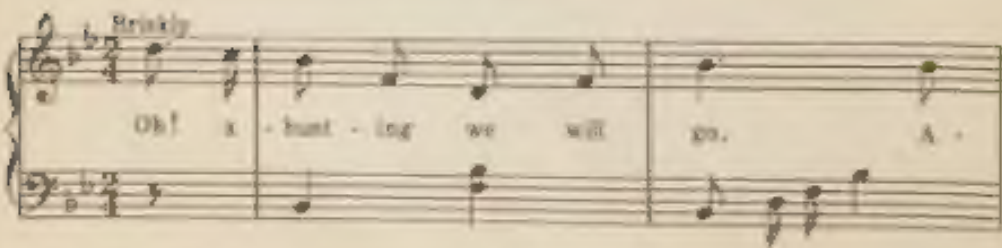


Old King Cole was a merry old soul,
And a merry old soul was he,
He called for his pipe, and he called for his bowl,
And he called for his harpers three.
Ev'ry harper had a fine harp,
And a very fine harp had he,
Twang-a-twang, twang-a-twang, went the harpers three,
Twang-a-twang, twang, twang-a-twang-a twee.

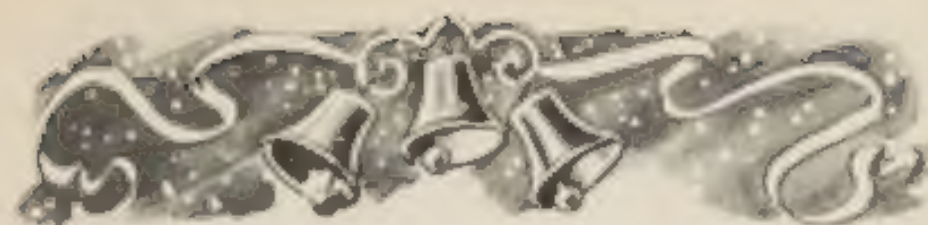
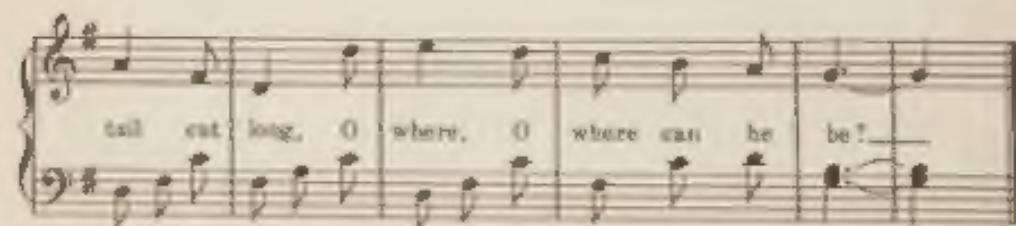
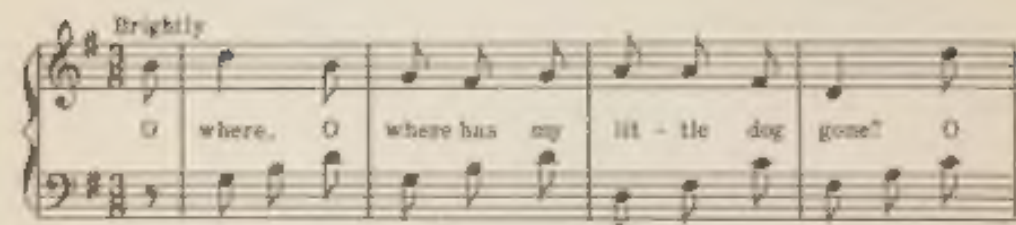
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And a merry old soul was he,
He called for his pipe, and he called for his bowl,
And he called for his drummers three.
Ev'ry drummer had a fine drum,
And a very fine drum had he,
Rub-a-dub, rub-a-dub went the drummers three,
Rub-a-dub, dub, rub-a-dub-a dee.



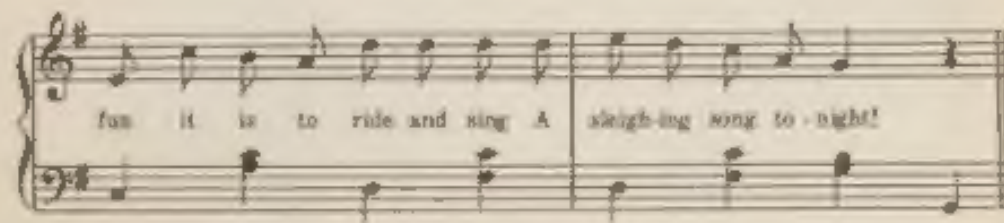
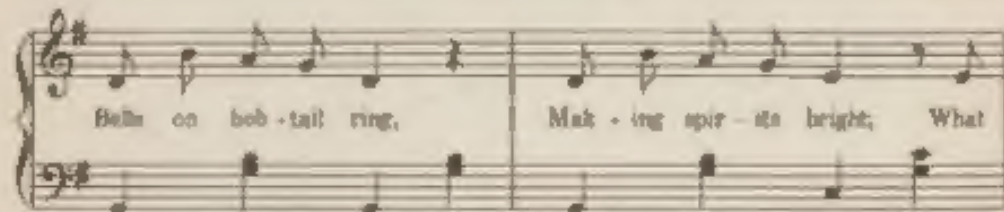
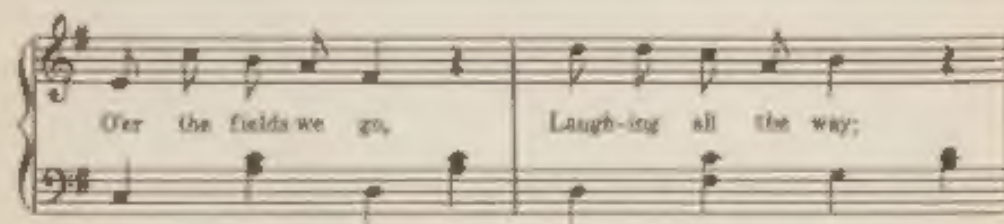
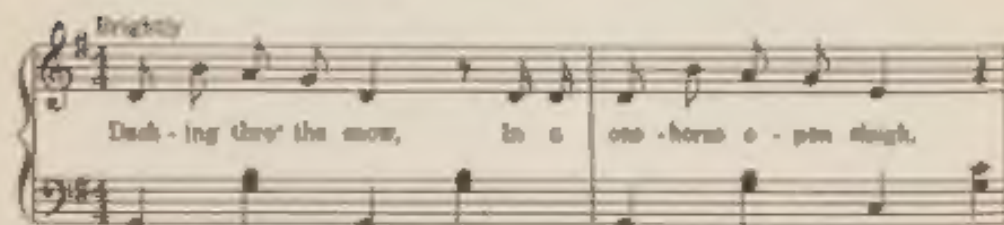
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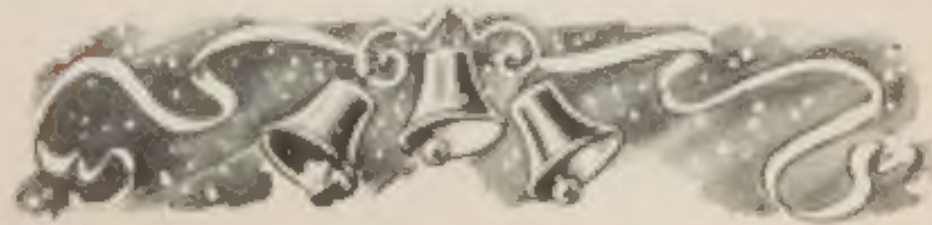
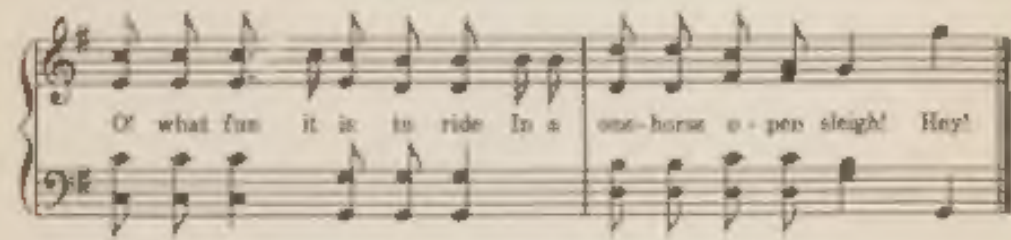
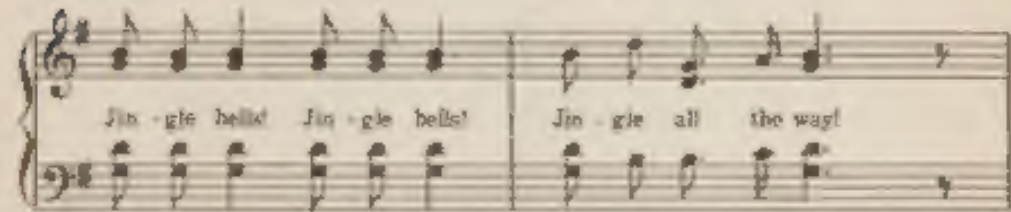
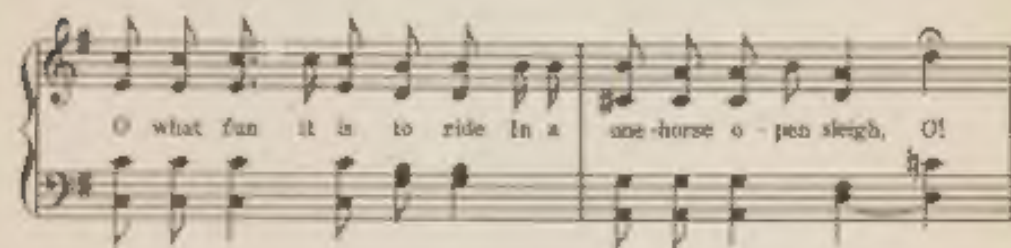
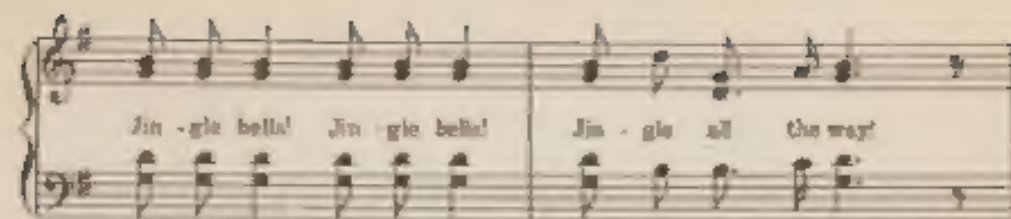


WHERE, O WHERE HAS MY LITTLE DOG GONE?



JINGLE BELLS! JINGLE BELLS!







O SUSANNA

Brightly

I came from Al - a - ban - a Wid my ban - jo on my

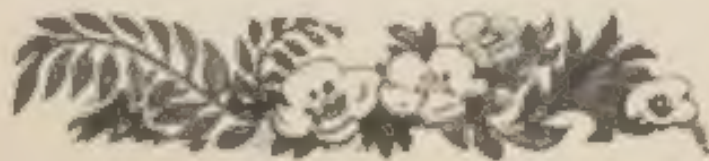
knee, I'm g'wan to Lou - si - an - a My true love for to

see. It rained all night the day I left, The weath-er it was

dry. The sun so hot I froze to death. So - san - a, don't you cry.


Chorus
Obl Su - san - a, Obl don't you cry for me. I've

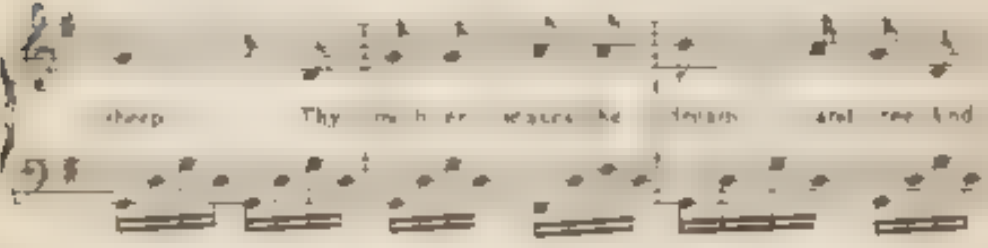
come from Al - a - ban - a Wid my ban - jo on my knee.






CRADLE SONG



 Sleep be o baby Thy fa-ther tends thee


 sheep Thy mother waters thee in a stream and feeds thee


 down the green hill with a golden bell
 And play with baby in the dell
 Sleep, baby, sleep



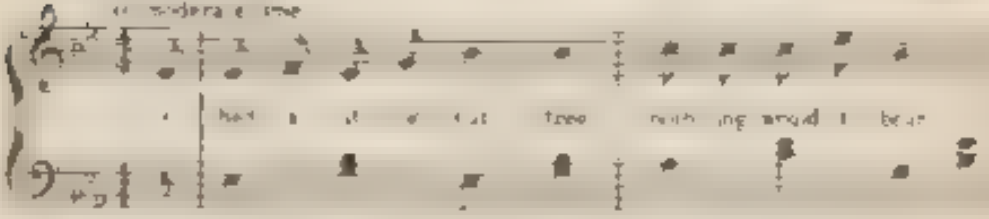
 Sleep, baby, sleep


Sleep, baby, sleep.
 And you shall have a sheep,
 And he shall have a golden bell,
 And play with baby in the dell,
 Sleep, baby, sleep





I HAD A LITTLE NUT TREE





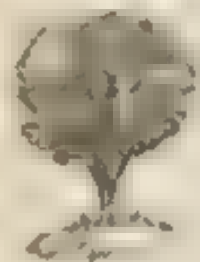
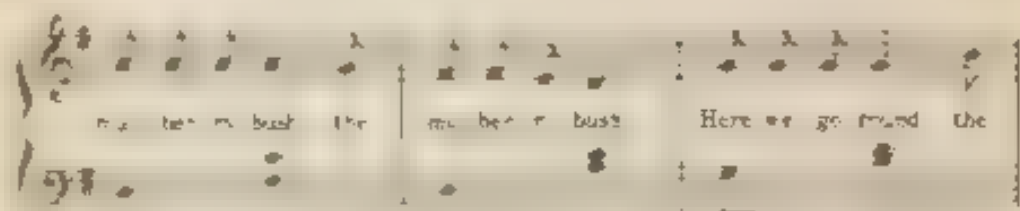
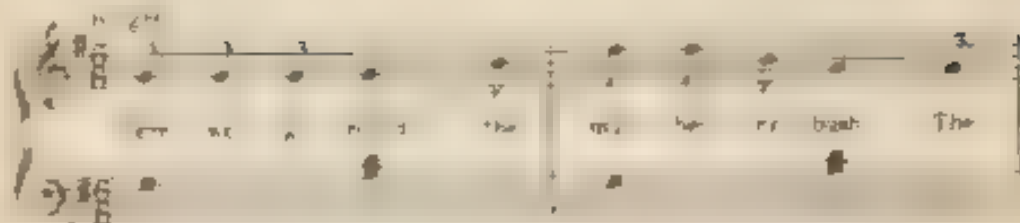
 I had a little nut tree
 Nothing around it but


 me A nut tree that
 And a nut tree that


 King of Spain's daughter
 Came to visit me, And


 I had a little nut tree

THE MULBERRY BUSH

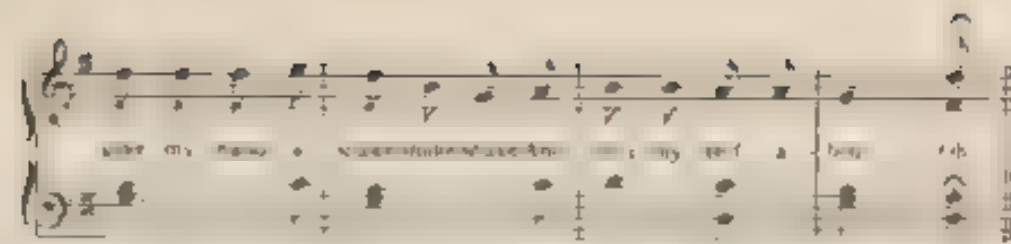
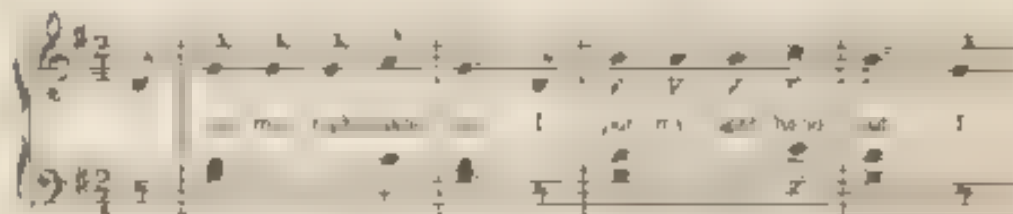
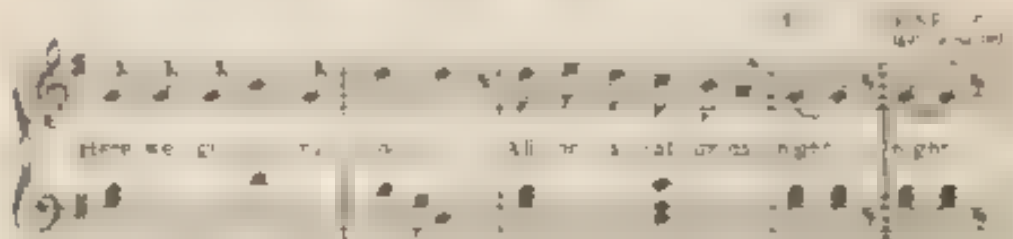
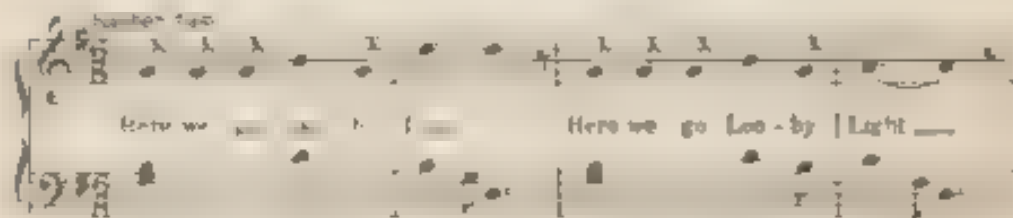


- 1. the way we scrub our clothes, etc
- 2. the way we hang our clothes, etc
- 3. the way we iron our clothes, etc.



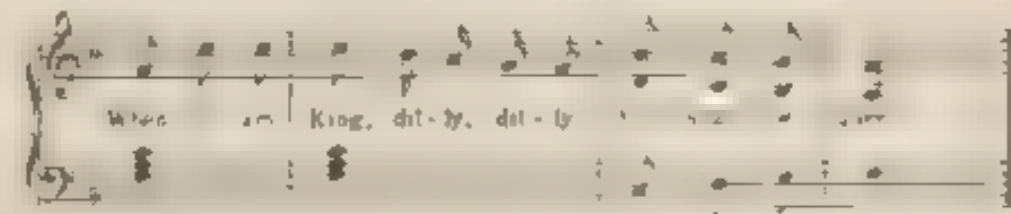
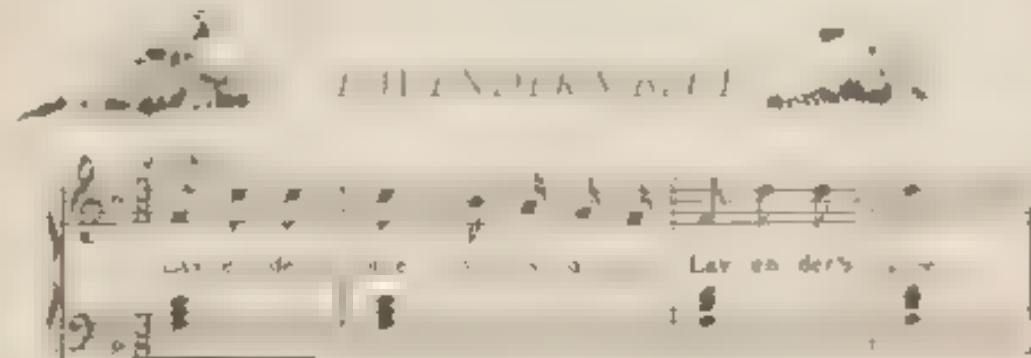


HERE WE GO LOOBY LOO



I put my left hand in, etc
 I put my right foot in, etc
 I put my left foot in, etc
 I put my whole self in, etc
 I put my whole self out, etc

And turn myself about, etc

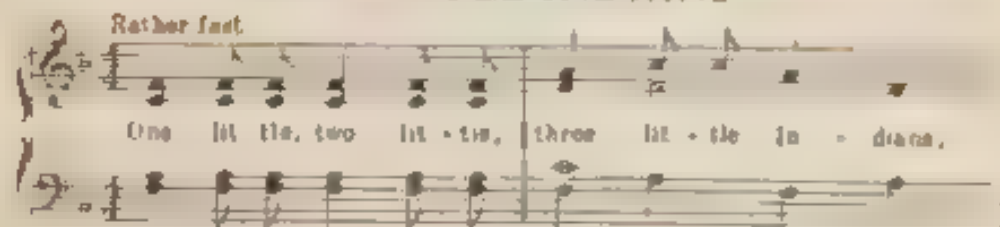


Can't you make a little fire?
 Some to keep warm,
 Some to keep the little boys
 Some to keep the girls.

Some to make a little fire,
 Some to cut corn,
 While you and I, dilly, dilly,
 Keep ourselves warm.



TEN LITTLE INDIANS



Musical score for the first two stanzas of "Ten Little Indians". The first staff shows the melody for "One little, two little, three little Indians" and "Four little, five little, six little Indians". The second staff shows the melody for "Seven little, eight little, nine little Indians" and "Ten little Indians".



Ten little, nine little, eight little Indians,
 Seven little, six little five little Indians,
 Four little three little, two little Indians
 One little Indian boy

Musical score for the final line of the song: "Ten little Indians".

Musical score for the first two stanzas of "PUP GOES THE WALTZ". The first staff shows the melody for "Evening When the bells are sweetly ringing" and "Sweetly ringing". The second staff shows the melody for "Ding dong ding dong, ding dong".

PUP GOES THE WALTZ

Musical score for the first two stanzas of "PUP GOES THE WALTZ". The first staff shows the melody for "All around the rubber's bench The monkey chased the" and "The monkey chased the". The second staff shows the melody for "The monkey chased the".

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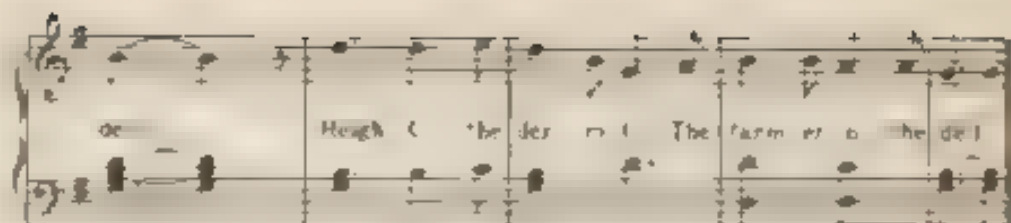
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THE FARMER IN THE DELL





The farmer takes a wife, etc.

The wife takes a hen, etc.

The hen takes a rooster, etc.

The rooster takes a cat, etc.

The cat takes a rat, etc.

The rat takes the cheese, etc.

The farmer runs away, etc.

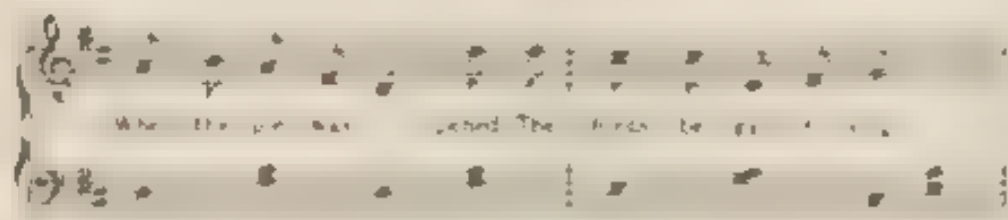
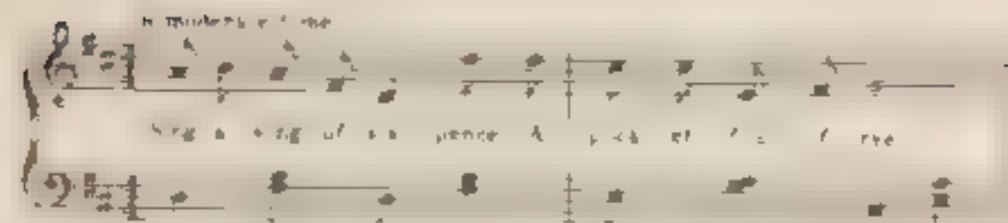
The wife takes a hen, etc.

The hen takes a rooster, etc.

The rooster takes a cat, etc.



SING A SONG OF SIXPENCE



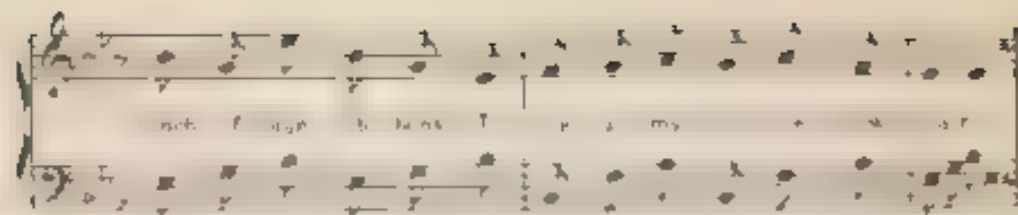
The King was in his parlor
Counting out his money;
The Queen was in the garden
Eating bread and honey,

The maid was in the garden
Hanging out the clothes,
And she was so fat and stout
And pecked off her nose



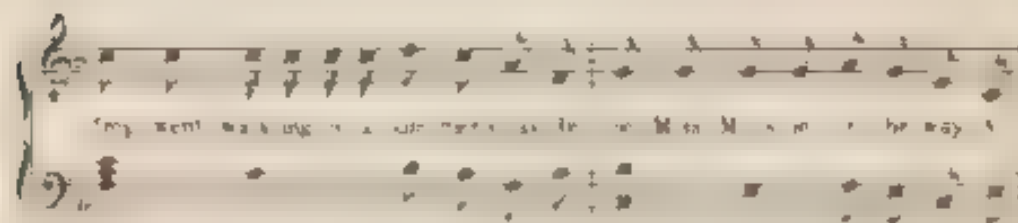
OH DEAR WHAT'S IN THE MATTER BE

Oh dear what's in the matter be
 Oh dear what's in the matter be
 Oh dear what's in the matter be
 Oh dear what's in the matter be
 Oh dear what's in the matter be
 Oh dear what's in the matter be



I WENT WORKING ON A SUMMER DAY

Lightly



He said, 'Miss Mouse, will you marry me?'

A hum, a-hum.

He said, 'Miss Mouse, will you marry me?'

We'll live together in an apple tree.'

A hum, a hum, a-hum, a hum, a hum

The first to the wedding was Mr. Dick

A hum, a-hum

The first to the wedding was Mr. Dick,

He ate so much he nearly got sick

A hum, a hum, a-hum, a-hum, a-hum

And what do you think they had for supper?

A hum, a-hum

And what do you think they had for supper

A fried mosquito and bread and butter

A-hum, a-hum, a hum, a hum, a hum

And what do you think they had on the shelf?

A hum, a-hum

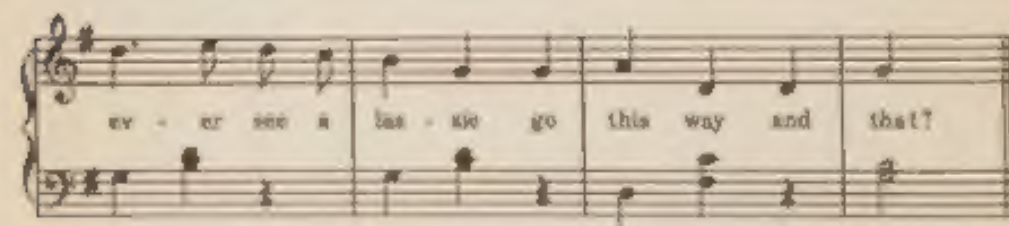
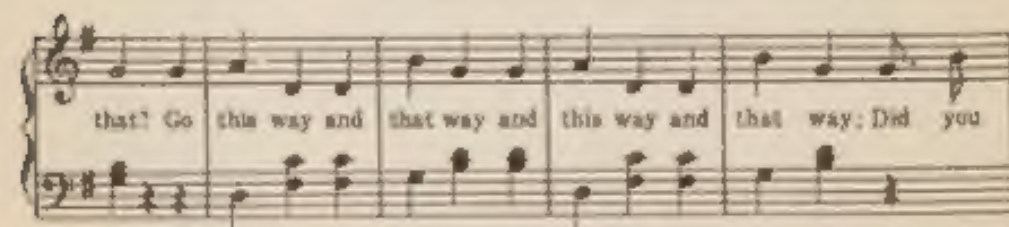
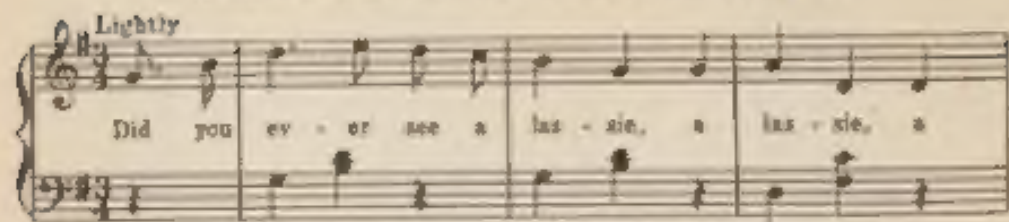
And what do you think they had on the shelf?

If you want to know, go look for yourself

A hum, a-hum, a hum, a hum, a hum



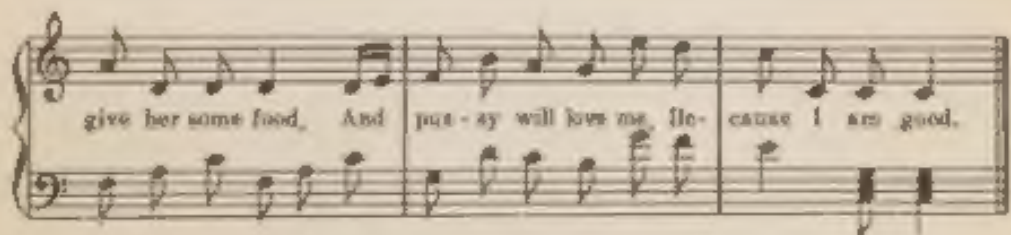
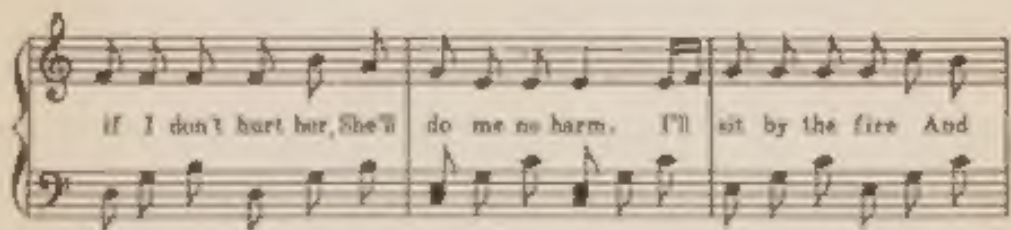
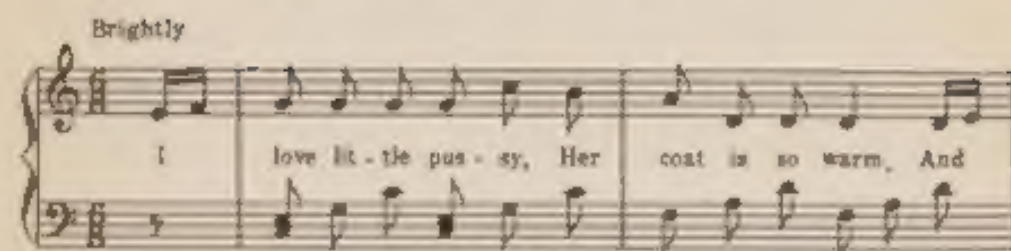
DID YOU EVER SEE A LASSIE?



Did you ever see a laddie, a laddie, a laddie,
Did you ever see a laddie go this way or that?
Go this way and that way and this way and that way;
Did you ever see a laddie go this way and that?



I LOVE LITTLE PUSSY



DINGA-DINGA-DOODLE

Brightly
Question

Did you ev - er see a cow in the sky?

Answer

I nev - er did, And neith - er did I, How can a cow stay

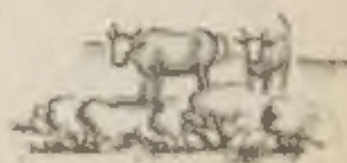
up in the sky with - out an - y wings with which to fly?

Chorus

Ding - a, ding - a, doo - die, ding - a ding - a dye,

Fine

She would fall if she did try.



Did you ever see the sun at night?

(Chorus) I never did.

Of course, you're right.

How can the sun shine at night

When day begins when it gives light?

(Chorus) Dinga-dinga-doodle,
dinga-dinga-dye.

It's always day when the sun is bright.

Did you ever see a little boy cry?

(Chorus) Yes, I did.

And so did I.

It seems such a shame for a boy to cry

When he could laugh if he did try.

(Chorus) Dinga-dinga-doodle,
dinga-dinga-dye,

It's better to laugh than it is to cry.

Did you ever see a rose in the snow?

(Chorus) I never did.

The answer is No.

How can a rose bloom in the snow

When it's too cold for it to grow?

(Chorus) Dinga-dinga-doodle,
dinga-dow,

A rosebush sleeps when the cold
winds blow.

(Now sing the following lines.)

I nev - er saw a

cow in the sky. It has no wings with which to fly

I never saw the sun at night;

Day begins when the sun gives light.

I never saw a rose in the snow;

It's too cold for it to grow.

(Go back to the fifth bar for the following chorus.)

Yes, I've seen a little boy cry,

But he could laugh if he did try.

Dinga-dinga-doodle, dinga-dinga-dye,

It's better to laugh than it is to cry.

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